Television Life

In Chad, Dr Z of Ed-
ucation Ministry sub-
limates radical bent

with favorite Italian
detectives, Colombo
and Montalbano. Here,

situation comedies
underline the quirks
friends see in us.

The world is TV
pure and simple.

Our lifetime shorter, murk-
y pond smaller, though

we're pleasing as odd,
blinking fish, quoted

and admired if, on
occasion, mocked.